

WINTHROP DAVIS.

JANUARY 3, 1832.

Mr. HUBBARD, from the Committee on Revolutionary Pensions, made the following

REPORT:

*The Committee on Revolutionary Pensions, to whom was referred the petition of Winthrop Davis, report:*

That the petitioner entered into the service of the United States on the 16th August, 1782, for the term of three years, in the company commanded by Captain Frye, in the 2d New Hampshire regiment, on the continental line; that he continued to serve under his said enlistment until the 30th day of June, 1784, when he received a discharge, of which the following is a copy:

“Winthrop Davis, soldier in the American regiment, being enlisted for three years, is hereby honorably discharged from the service of the United States. Given in the State of New York, the 30th day of June, 1784. By the general's command.

“H. JACKSON, B. Gen.

“C. SELDEN, Capt. and A. D. C.”

He has been refused a pension at the department, on the ground that peace was ratified before the petitioner could have served nine months.

There is no doubt that the applicant is in very reduced circumstances, and, as it is manifest that he did actually continue in the service nearly two years, the committee are not aware of any good reason why he should not receive a pension: they therefore report a bill.

